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Increased Aid

New Scholarship Program Adopted by College Board

A new academic scholarship system has been adopted by St. Joseph's College. The college annually offers $20,000 in scholarships to worthy and needy high school seniors.

Under the new program, scholarships will be awarded on the basis of academic achievement and promise as determined by the student's high school record and his scores on the College Entrance Examination Board Tests.

Based on Financial Need

The amount of the scholarship will be based on the student's financial needs as determined by the college in cooperation with the College Scholarship Service. While the amount will vary with financial need, it will never exceed $500 a semester.

In the past, the largest scholarship a student could receive was $1600, or $400 each year for four years. Now a student who would otherwise be unable to attend college can receive as much as $4,000.

Eliminate Special Exam

The St. Joseph's College competitive examination has also been eliminated. A nation-wide College Scholarship Service will now handle the tests in its place. This will enable students from all over the country to participate in these tests and not just those from neighboring states.

Homecoming Plans Include Pep Rally, Parade, Dances

by Bill Swanston

Preparations for the 1955 Homecoming weekend, Oct. 14 and 15, went into their final stages last Monday when work began in the fieldhouse. Under the leadership of chairman Bill Gleason, the sophomore class expects to complete the work on decorations before Friday.

John Bian is chairman of the work committee and he has been assisted greatly by Mr. Willard Walsh, sophomore class moderator. Mr. Walsh has played a major part in organizing the weekend, publicity, and also in obtaining the needed material for decorations.

Problem Met in Housing

The only major difficulty encountered thus far by the sophomores is that of housing. Joseph Panek, who is in charge of this phase of the preparations, was unable to handle the housing as was planned because of the large crowd expected for the Homecoming weekend.

There aren't enough facilities to accommodate all the guests, so it was decided that there would be less difficulty if the individuals would make their own housing arrangement. This problem was caused by the lack of private homes which were used in the past for housing weekend guests.

Queen Might Miss Pep Rally

The weekend festivities will begin Friday night with a pep rally in the college auditorium. Tom Ryan, chairman of the pep rally, has announced that Miss Florence Gallagher, Homecoming queen, might not be able to attend the rally. Because of a previous commitment, Miss Gallagher might not arrive on campus until Saturday morning.

The St. Joseph's Glee Club is also scheduled to appear, and sing, at the pep rally.

Inaugurate Parade

A parade will open the Saturday activities and high school bands from Rensselaer, Kentland and Morocco will take part. Automobiles decorated by the students will also appear in the parade. There will be prizes of $15, $10, and $5 for the best-decorated cars.

The parade will assemble at St. Augustine's Church in Rensselaer at 12:45 p.m. and then proceed through town to the campus for the football game against Butler University.

The Homecoming Dance will begin at 8 p.m. Saturday evening and will feature the music of Dan Belloc and his orchestra. The queen will reign at the dance and her court will be comprised of Student Council and class officers.

Prepare Regal Cape

A regal cape is being made for the queen to wear during the weekend. This cape can then be used for all succeeding Homecomings.

The Midnight Revels will follow the Homecoming Dance and will feature the Sonny Johnson Quartet, with Miss Debbie Andrews. The Negro combo is currently playing at the Turf Club in Indianapolis.

Reading Clinic Enrollment Tops Previous Highs

Rev. Ernest Lucas announced that the enrollment for the Reading Clinic for this semester has topped all previous enrollment records. In 1949, the year the clinic started, the enrollment was 16, compared with 175 for the present semester.

Any freshman is automatically invited to attend the clinic, which meets twice a week. "We wish to make it clear that the clinic is not just for poor readers," Father Lucas said. "We strongly advise everyone to enroll in the clinic, because even those who are good readers can increase their speed and comprehension with this course."

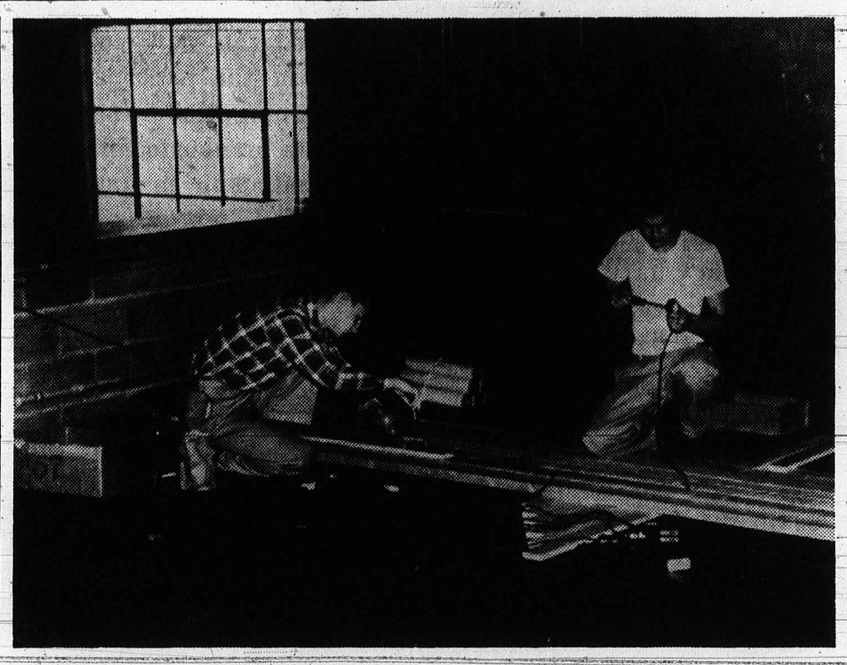
Twofold Purpose

The purpose of the clinic is twofold. 1) to increase the rate of words a student reads a minute and more important, 2) to increase his comprehension of what he reads, so that he can develop better study habits. This is done in a number of ways.

Various mechanical aids such as the shadow scope, the science research accelerator, and the tachistoscope are used to teach him to grasp words and ideas quickly. There is also a textbook which is used by all students, and a library with which a student can fulfill his English book reading requirement and at the same time use it for his work in the clinic.

Clinic Gains Prestige

Father Lucas showed the importance of this kind of program when he pointed out that almost every major college and university has added a reading clinic to its curriculum in recent years. He also added that St. Joseph's has been contacted by universities and individuals in New York, Florida, Tennessee and Texas in regard to the operation of the clinic here.



Sophomores Tom DeClercq and Frank Weidenhamer begin work on Homecoming decorations in the fieldhouse balcony. (Photo by Franz)

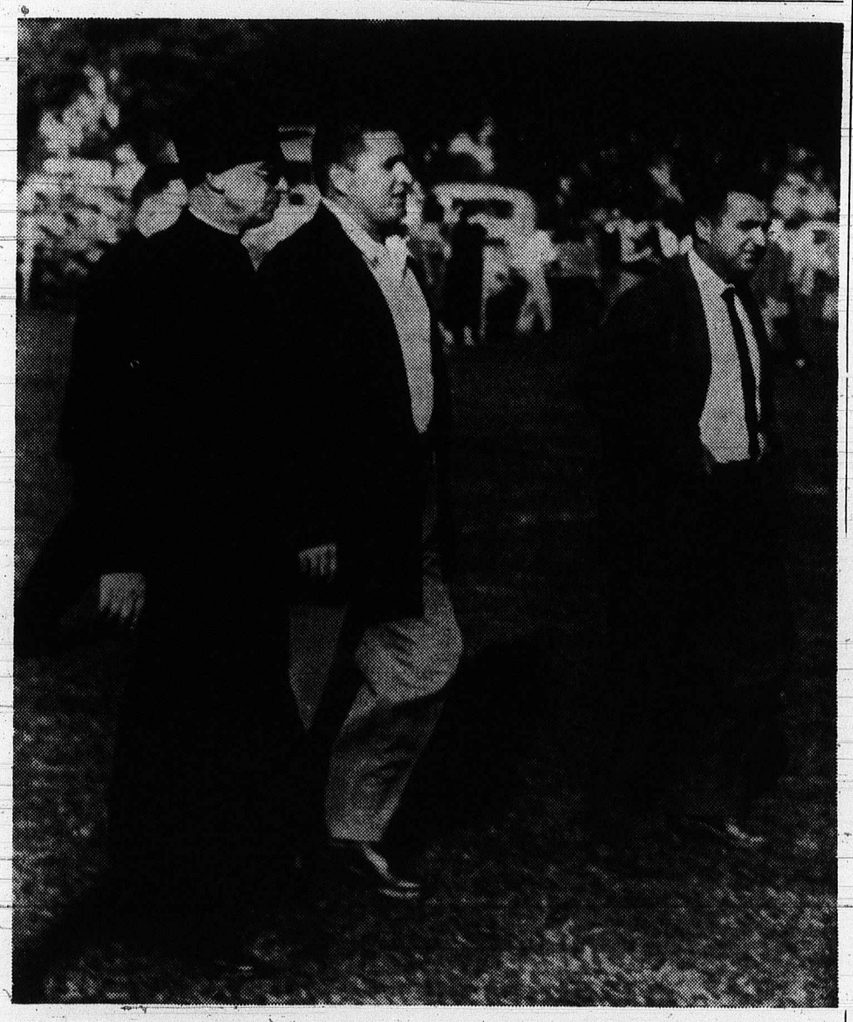
11 Representatives Picked for Service On I-H Committee

Eleven representatives comprise the Inter-hall Committee under the chairmanship of Tom Stucker, sophomore class president.

These hall appointments came as a result of selections made by the Student Council and elections held in the various halls during the week of Sept. 19.

Committee members are: Chuck Wiles, Bennett; Ed Mohr, Noll, Jerry Lachnicht, Merlini; Don Salvato, West Seifert; Joe Mihalov, East Seifert; John Galvin, Gaspar; Pat Hogan, Drexel; Dick Sadowski, the Dorm; Ray Goberville, Ad Building; Phil McCarty, White House; and Ken Zawodny, Washburn.

It will be the duty of these representatives to coordinate hall activities as well as to promote school activities during the next year. The first task is the erection of Homecoming decorations.



Three men largely responsible for the improved showing of the St. Joe football team walk off the field after the upset victory over Valpo on Oct. 1. They are: Rev. Joseph Otte, college treasurer; Coach Bob Jauron; and Hugh McAvoy, alumni director. Game story and pictures are on page 3. (Photo by Franz)

Geology Students To Attend U of I Field Meeting

The Geology Club opened its activities for the present semester on Tuesday evening, Sept. 27. The "Census" showed 53 members, more than half of which are new to the club; of these, 52 are geology majors, and one a geology minor.

At this meeting a discussion of the club's constitution was led by the moderator, Rev. Carl F. Nieset. Dr. E. Walter also addressed the club. The usual business meeting was conducted by the president, Jim Hermiller, after which movies dealing with oil development and production were shown.

Eight members of the club, together with Fr. Nieset and Dr. Walter, attended a field conference in southern Indiana, Sept. 30 to Oct. 2. The conference, conducted by the Indiana State Geological Survey and Indiana University, treated the "Sedimentation and Stratigraphy of the Devonian Rocks of Southeastern Indiana."

From Oct. 14 to 16, members of the club will attend the Tri-State field meeting, which includes Indiana, Illinois, and Iowa. The field meeting will be conducted by the University of Illinois in the area around Canton, Ill.

Future meetings will be concerned with the showing of various movies on geological subjects. Also during the present school year, two speakers from other schools will address the club.

Veterans' Club Sponsors Bingo

The Veterans' Club will give away cash prizes totaling $150 at their bingo scheduled for Wednesday, Oct. 12, at 9 p.m. in Raleigh Hall.

Harold Pluth, chairman of the event, has announced that the 18 prize total of $150 will be divided as follows: two prizes of $20, six prizes of $10, and ten prizes of $5.

All students attending will be excused from their study period.

The Veterans' Club, which comprises approximately ten per cent of the student body, will use the profits for the annual picnic and banquet held during the spring.

Hall Decorations' Judges Named By Student Council

A board of judges has been selected by the Student Council to choose the best decorated campus hall for the 1955 Homecoming.

The board is composed of: Rev. Raphael Gross, president of the college; Rev. Edward Maziarz, dean; Mr. Willard Walsh and Ralph Cappuccilli, speech instructors; and Miss Florence Gallagher, the Homecoming queen. A plaque will be awarded to the winning hall.

The Council appropriated $15 to each hall for decorating expenses, thus eliminating the need for hall collections. Itemized receipts must be turned in to the Council and any unused money returned.

The various hall representatives on the Inter-hall committee are in charge of the decorations. In previous years these decorations were handled by the classes, but the wide-spread distribution of students about the campus made this process virtually impossible.

In other recent business, the Council appointed Tom Holmberg, Marty Collins, Bill Walters and Chuck Donnelly to the Athletic Committee. This committee is headed by Tony Smith, treasurer of the Council.

First Presentation Selected by CP's

"Dial M For Murder", a suspense play in three acts by Frederick Knott, has definitely been chosen as the first presentation of the Columbian Players for sometime in November.

The play, which both on the screen and on the stage has captivated audiences around the world, is set in modern London, and skillfully sketches the clever attempt of a dissatisfied husband, Tony Wendice, to murder his wife Margot.

The casting of "Dial M" was held on Monday evening, Oct. 10, in the auditorium.

Jack Carlson, the president, announced that dues for the year would be one dollar. Initiation readings for probationary members were then held.

The Columbian Players is a member of the National Honorary Dramatic Fraternity of Delta Psi Omega. This membership gives them the access to royalty plays and entitles them to the benefit of national publication of their efforts.

SJ Drops Band, Cancels Concert

The Band has been dropped for an indefinite period as a result of poor attendance at rehearsals, according to the director, Rev. Clement Kuhns.

In discussing the future of the organization, Father Kuhns said that an attempt to renew it again at the start of the basketball season is likely. "This would be feasible," he explained, "as even the sound of a very small band carries well in the fieldhouse." In any case there will be no band for home football games or for the annual Christmas Concert.

Father Kuhns also spoke of the possibility of the formation of a swing-band of some 12 or 15 pieces, but he could not give any definite information about such a group.

Over-Confident?

From all indications, it seems like a reasonably safe observation when we say that St. Joseph's has a good chance to wind up on top of the Indiana Collegiate Conference football league. The college eleven has been playing a remarkably good brand of football and is now in first-place with the season half over.

Coach Bob Jauron has brought the team a long way from what it was two years ago. One of the main reasons for the Pumas' improved showing is their sudden surge of self-confidence. Without it they would now be just another "also-ran."

But we would like to take time out from our praise of the coach and the team and offer a little warning. Although there is no stimulant in college athletics to compare with self-confidence, there is also no defeating force comparable to over-confidence.

Valpo's Crusaders seemed completely outplayed in their attempt to continue athletic dominance over the Pumas, but let's not kid ourselves. They have a tremendously strong team and over-confidence was the deciding factor in that rout. Had they harboured more respect for the Collegeville squad they expected to be a pushover, the game might not have had such a one-sided outcome.

We are not saying that the St. Joe squad is not of championship calibre. On the contrary, we feel that this might very well be "our year."

The team could possibly finish ICC competition with a flawless record if they remember that every game is important and respect the ability and strength of Butler, Evansville and Ball State. Any one of these teams could change the conference picture as far as the Puma's title hopes are concerned.

If we just bear in mind that over-confidence can spell our gridmen's downfall and never underestimate the power of the opposition, we will be a step nearer the title.

St. Joseph's has been the league's "breather" team long enough. Let's prove that we're a team to be reckoned with constantly.

We expect to see you all at the Homecoming game!

Hazing Unnecessary

Once again Freshman initiation has ended on a sour note. For the third successive year, the hazing program has failed to accomplish that for which it is intended. On the contrary, it has accomplished the very opposite.

The prime purpose of initiation is the bolstering of school spirit in the freshman class. This year's frosh arrived on campus less than a month ago with more spirit than the rest of the classes combined. Through our over-enthusiastic hazing we have managed to knock most of this spirit out of them.

Contrary to popular belief, hazing is not conducted for the amusement of a handful of sophomores and upperclassmen.

Two years ago a frosh revolt marked the end of initiation. Then again last year the program was carried to extremes and almost dropped altogether. The situation even reached the point where a vote of the student body had to be taken to determine whether initiation was to be kept.

This was to be the year that we proved whether or not we really wanted to continue the program. And once again we failed.

The college faculty is definitely in favor of continued initiation if it is handled properly. They are, however, definitely against such hazing if it is conducted by just a few individuals and primarily for their amusement.

Remember, the purposes of initiation are those of instilling school spirit in the freshman class and uniting them as a class. Don't make the program a means of knocking these qualities out of new students.

Determining Factor

We would like to take this opportunity to remind the students that October is the month of the Holy Rosary. If we aren't already in the habit of saying the rosary daily, let's give it a try. This devotion can be a powerful force in determining the course of the world as well as our individual lives. Now, more than ever before, the world needs Mary's guidance.

Is "Stuff" Suitable For a College Paper?

Is the name STUFF suitable for a college newspaper?

As most upperclassmen have probably observed, we are continually making changes, and we hope improvements, in your college newspaper. We doubt if we will receive much argument as to the fact that there is quite a bit of room for improvement.

One of the major shortcomings, in our opinion at least, is the title STUFF. Towards the end of last year we decided to investigate the origin of the name and determine, with your help, whether it is suitable for a college publication.

We contacted the man most responsible for the birth of the paper and asked his opinion concerning the present name and also the merits or shortcomings of a new name. The gentleman in question is Rev. S. H. Ley, C.PP.S., who was then stationed at Brunnerdale Seminary, Canton, Ohio. Fr. Ley was editor of STUFF when it was started in 1936.

At that time the naming of the alumni paper, the literary quarterly, and the newspaper was discussed quite thoroughly by the faculty. A number of the students also took an active interest and even submitted names for the paper.

Fr. Ley gave four reasons for the choice of the name STUFF:

First of all, he feels that the name is decidedly masculine. "Think of the many times," says Fr. Ley, "Shakespeare's characters use the term; check the unabridged dictionary for the numerous applications of the word."

We are forced to agree with this point except for the fact that most student readers, and for that matter even some of the faculty, will not make the connection between the masculinity of th word as employed by Shakespeare and our use of it as a title. We also checked the dictionary as Fr. Ley suggested and found many varied meanings. Among them, however, were the definitions "worthless material, useless things."

Secondly, he feels that being masculine, the word is significant of "strength, sturdiness, hardiness, etc."

This is very true if the word is taken to mean the "stuff" men are made of. We only hope everyone takes this to be the significance of the name when they pick up the paper.

The name is also unique says Fr. Ley. "No other campus paper, and no other paper as far as I know, has the name."

We readily agree. It is unique.

Lastly, according to Fr. Ley, "What is news on the campus is mostly just 'stuff'-ephemeral."

It is very true that most campus news is very short-lived and could be readily classified as just being "stuff" and nothing of great consequence. If this could serve as a basis for retaining the present name, we can see nothing against the name.

But is this sufficient reason for naming a college paper STUFF? We who come into close contact with the paper like to feel that it does play an important role here on the campus. Last year it was partly responsible for at least one of the major decisions made by the student body. We have in mind the discontinuance of NFCCS.

Whether right or wrong in its opinions, a college newspaper can and does play an important part in campus life.

It has been the opinion of the Catholic School Press Association that STUFF is not a fitting name for a college paper. Were it a high school paper containing bits of news, an inconsequential dope sheet, etc., then they hold it would be suitable.

As we stated earlier in this editorial, we are investigating the merits and shortcomings of the name STUFF and it is necessary to know the students' opinions before we take any action toward a change. Letters to the editor are welcome and encouraged.

We also urge you to think carefully over your decision before you enter an opinion. A change in names would represent a big step in the paper's development. It could prove to be a step towards the paper's advancement, but it could just as easily prove to be detrimental.

Think, then act.

Collegeville Confidential

By John White and Chuck Vietzen

One of the traditional institutions of any college is dying, or perhaps by the time this is printed, will be dead on our campus. In the past few weeks we have seen pleas in the daily bulletin, on the editorial page of this paper and have heard criticisms by various persons about campus. All, of course, have been to do with the band.

Judging from pictures in past yearbooks, the band at one time was one of the more prominent organizations on campus. It marched at football games and each year presented worthwhile concerts.

There are two contrasting views to this situation. Some people are saying: "What's the matter with the students around here, when there are believed to be over sixty capable musicians on campus and less than twenty are willing to come out for the band? Has the student so little pride in his school that he can't devote a few hours a week to the band. Any student who can play, will or should be ashamed, and rightly so. Next Saturday the fight song will be played by high school bands at a Homecoming at which the college band should be holding the prominent place."

But other people are saying: "Why should a student join the band? Why should a student join an organization which has no more ambition than to play at a few home games and two campus concerts each year? Why should a student join something which does not even have enough faith in itself to make an attempt to march at games or to travel at least a little? There was a time when financial compensation was offered to members, but now even that has been revoked."

This same group goes on to point out the differences in organization between the band and other entertaining groups such as the glee club or Columbian Players. "These two organizations set ambitious yearly programs and enforce attendance at practices. By starting out with only a mediocre goal in mind no organization can ever hope to attain that, let alone something above it."

The biggest name band in Homecoming history will be the main feature of the coming weekend. The sophomore class with the assistance of the Student Council has brought Dan Belloc to the Collegeville bandstand.

For the first time the second year men will attempt to put into action a highly organized plan of attack on the fieldhouse. The entire building is being decorated in five days. With the great assistance of Mr. Walsh, class moderator, decoration time has been halved from previous years. Led by Tom Stucker, class president, and Bill Gleason, general chairman, a rigid schedule has been followed to the letter.

Outside work such as the Revels and the tickets have been handled by Fred Bianucci and Jim Detloff. The housing has been under the supervision of Joe Panek, and publicity is by Jack Berlier. The Royal Commission for the Queen is composed of Tom Ryan, Neal Kelliher and Dick Sadowski.

Heading the decorations committee are John Bian, Bill Wolfe, Tom Fruehe, and Joe Wonderly. Workers in general are Jim Benson, Bob O'Brien, Max McRoberts, Tim Downey, Mike Miller, John Belanger, Tom Neville, Bill Franz, Monroe Jim, Larry Boylson, Joe Bak, Dick Bodney, Jack Biel, Don Salvato, Mike Freiburg, Bob Kilbourne, Ray Weidenhamer, Tom DeClercq, Bob Christen, Chuck Lancaster, Vern Gross, Bill McGrogan, Bob Cleary, George Schmid, Bill McCarthy, Don Shephard, Don Allwein, Bill Schuler, Joe Sack, John DeLaurentis, Don Curry, Pete Conroy, Ron Schuckel, John Wolf, Marv Mucha, Jerry Castro, Ed Stapleton, and Dan Waber.

Who got the ding-dong?

As predicted by your writers last issue the Valpo Victory bell did not ring. With the spirit both on and off the field at such a high peak the Pumas roared ahead to what was undoubtedly their greatest triumph in the Valpo series. The Crusaders went home stunned that afternoon. Stunned not only by a determined young team, but also by some spirit, the likes of which a Valpo fan wouldn't know about.

Everyone seemed to be at top form, including the cheerleaders who were aided by frosh Bob Liffick, Dennis Milosich, and Charlie Donnelly. Although a little mystified by the new cheers, the girls from Mundelein quickly entered the spirit of things, and the Pumas were off to what some say could be the beginning of an ICC title.

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Personals . . . Phase to come out next year with the owner's name stamped on the cover . . . prediction: the Noll Lions to go all the way in IM football this year . . . Frosh preparing to get underway to elect their officers . . . the Butler Bulldogs will be in the doghouse Saturday night . . .

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St. Joe Upsets Favored Valpo In Home Opener

One of the biggest upsets of the 1955 grid season took place Oct. 1 at Collegeville when St. Joseph's routed a highly favored Valporaiso team by the score of 26-0.

The Pumas acted as though they didn't know they were 27 point underdogs as they unleashed a powerful ground attack to plow under the Crusaders.

St. Joe's first score came in the opening minutes of the second period when quarterback Ralph Tite plunged over from 1 yard out, climaxing a 49 yard scoring march. The extra point was wide and the scoreboard read 6-0, St. Joseph's.

The Pumas put on another 49 yard scoring drive in the second quarter with Tite passing to end George Sherwood for the final 7 yards. LaPointe missed the extra point and St. Joe led 12-0 at halftime..

The partisan Puma home crowd were brought to their feet when halfback Bob Hamman gathered in the opening kickoff of the second half and raced 89 yards to score. This time Merle Effing added the point after touchdown to give St. Joe a 19-0 lead.

The final touchdown of the afternoon came when freshman halfback Chuck Spielman returned an intercepted Valpo pass to the Crusader's 24 yard line. From there, four plays later, Norb Daigle scored from the 3 yard line. The extra point made the final score 26-0.

Highpoint of the game was the outstanding play of the Pumas line. Although outweighed, the St. Joe men definitely outplayed the Crusader's forward wall, and this was a deciding factor in the game.

St. Joe	0	12	7	7	—26
Valpo	0	0	0	0	— 0

SJ Topples State With 27-0 Rout To Take ICC Lead

St. Joseph's College took over undisputed first place in the Indiana Collegiate Conference Saturday, Oct. 8 when the Pumas beat the Indiana State Sycamores 27-0 at Terre Haute while Evansville College was losing to Valparaiso University.

St. Joe scored their first touchdown when they marched 65-yards in seven plays for the first six-pointer. Bob Hamman, sophomore halfback, climaxed the drive by scoring from 12-yards out.

The second Puma tally came in the opening minutes of the second quarter when four plays after co-captain Ray Knight recovered a Sycamore fumble on State's 37-yard line, halfback Ray Banary hit Bob Hamman with a 15-yard touchdown pass. Merle Effing's extra point made the score St. Joseph's 13 Indiana State 0 at halftime.

St. Joe made it 20-0 early in the third period when freshman tackle Henry Alesia blocked an Indiana State punt, the Pumas taking over on the Sycamores 24-yard line. From there, St. Joe drove to the 12-yard marker where Ralph Tite passed to end John Kobza for the score.

The final Puma touchdown came in the dying minutes of the game when quarterback Rog LaPointe hit end George Sherwood in the end zone from six yards out. The extra point was good to bring the afternoon's scoring activities to a close.

By holding Indiana State scoreless, St. Joe has not permitted its opponents to score in the last eight quarters.

Varsity Views

By Tom Phillipp

The Valpo game will probably go down as one of the most prominent exhibitions of football prowess at St. Joe in the past decade. The Pumas, surpassed in size, experience and rating, put on an incredible performance of out-running, out-passing and out-playing the Crusaders in a victory that will live on for years to come.

Five-foot, eight-inch Ralph Tite and company made Valpo's Gorden Helms, defending conference pass leader, and his six-foot-plus receivers look like washed-up has-beens.

It appeared that the visting squad, favored by 27 points, left their locker room at half time determined to show the home crowd how the game of football should be played. But Bob Hamman's 90-yd. kick-off return did everything but send them home.

It was a case of one team against eleven men. Working as a unit, the Pumas got the breaks and capitalized on them, rubbing it in until the final gun sounded victory.

The exhuberant cheers, imprisoned for six years, finally found their day. Loyal Pumas have at last been rewarded, and the 1955 football season can already be labeled "successful."

The Crusader Victory Bell has been given a much-needed rest.

For the second straight week, as the result of two consecutive shutouts, the Pumas are boasting the toughest defense in the I.C.C. with only thirteen points scored against them in the three conference tilts, the Jauron men are far ahead of second place Ball State, whose opposition racked up 45 markers in one less game.

In offensive scoring the Collegeville club ranks second behind Evansville's 102 points with 80 tallies.

Evansville's perfect record did not survive last weekend's activity as fortunately as did St. Joseph's. Their loss to Valpo dropped them into a three-way tie for second place, leaving the Pumas in the undisputed first rank. It was Valpo's first victory over the Aces in conference history, and the Crusaders' haven't lost a night game since their first afterdark encounter in 1942.

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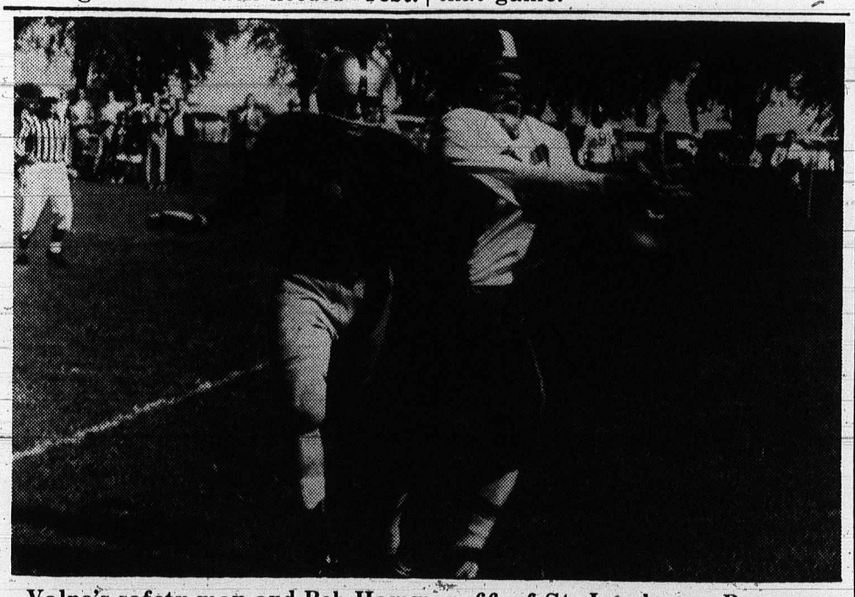
Puma halfback Bob Hamman who scored twice against State last Saturday, performed the same feat in last year's 21-20 St. Joseph's Homecoming victory between these same two teams. His fancy running netted him 141 yards in seven tries that game.



Valpo's safety man and Bob Hamman, 66, of St. Joe chase a Puma pass that went incomplete. St. Joseph's won the game 26-0. (Photo by Franz)

Rough Sledding

Bulldogs, Aces Threaten Pumas' Perfect Record

by Dick Obergfell

The league leading Pumas will get the test of the season as they tackle the ICC two toughest teams in consecutive games with Butler and Evansville.

Coach Tony Hinkle's Bulldogs will invade the Puma den Oct. 15 for a Homecoming tilt. Butler has a potential strong team with a 2-1 record. The capital city squad has 19 returning lettermen led by All-Conference fullback Leroy Thompson. Thompson is flanked in the backfield by veterans Lou Caporal and Nolan Masters.

Quarterback Slot Open

The task of finding a signal-caller to replace Les Gerlack is one of the problems in the Bulldog camp. The Hinklemen have two returning letter winners fighting for the quarterback slot in Tom Rohrabaugh and Dick Ahrendts. Neither of the two are of the caliber of the graduated Gerlack.

The Butler line is strong at tackle and end but weak in the center and guard positions. The Bulldogs have a good crop of ends in lettermen Scott Chandler, John Gibson, John Harrell, Leo Mahoney and Dan Lehane. Only at center are there no returning letter winners.

The Bulldogs have to win this one to remain in contention in the race for the league title.

Aces Close Behind

The once-beaten Evansville Aces have one of the strongest teams in the conference this year. The Aces opened the season with an impressive 45-14 win over Butler at Indianapolis. Their only league setback was at the hands of Valparaiso 25-18.

Outstanding lettermen this year are Ken Lutterback and Bill Parrish. Lutterback was the ICC top ground gainer last year and Parrish was selected to the All-Conference team.

St. Joe's three wins include a 27-13 victory over DePauw, a 26-0 win over Valpo and the 27-0 shutout of Indiana State.

I.C.C. Standings

	W	L	Pct.
St. Joseph's	3	0	1.000
Valparaiso	2	1	.667
Butler	2	1	.667
Evansville	2	1	.667
DePauw	1	2	.333
Ball State	0	2	.000
Indiana State	0	3	.000

Results:

Oct. 1:
St. Joseph's 26, Valparaiso 0.
Butler 26, Indiana State 19.
DePauw 20, Ball State 6.
Oct. 8:
St. Joseph's 27, Indiana State 0.
Valparaiso 26, Evansville 18.
Butler 26, Ball State 13.

Eagles Dominate First Round Play In Xavier Football

The intramural football season got underway for Xavier Hall with the election of team captains and selection of teams. Only three teams are competing this year: the Bears, the Eagles and the Steelers captained by Don Moorman, Joe Wehrle and Tom Busch respectively.

Completion of the first round of play finds the Eagles in first place with decisive victories over the Bears, 18-0 and the Steelers, 19-6. The other game of this first round ended with the Bears and Steelers dead-locked in a scoreless tie.

Leading scorer is Carvel Steinke of the Eagles with 12 points. Outstanding has been the play of the Eagles' captain, Tom Busch, who has scored once and passed for four of his team's six touchdowns.

According to Xavier's athletic director, Norb Koesler, present plans call for four or five rounds of play depending upon the weather.

Standings:	W	L	Tie
Eagles	2	0	0
Bears	0	1	1
Steelers	0	1	1

Fingerhut Injured, To Miss Butler Tilt

Fullback Keith Fingerhut will not see action in the Butler contest due to a knee injury sustained in the Indiana State game last Saturday. A defensive threat as well, Fingerhut is a main spark in the "Pumachine" as a result of his 175 yds. gained in 33 carries for the first four games this season.

The 190 lb. back is a second-semester freshman hailing from North Judson, Ind.

Intramural Scoreboard

By John F. White

If 120 entries in the intramural horseshoe tournament is any indication of the enthusiasm with which the new program has been accepted, then we can look forward to a successful year of sports between the halls. Looking back, the best anyone can remember for such a tourney is about 25 players.

Jake Schmitz of West Seifert was the winner of the horseshoe singles. He cornered ten points for his hall by defeating Bernie Balas of Noll. Bennett, Noll and Drexel were the only halls to realize the full seven entry points in the singles.

The juniors of Noll piled up 25 points in the doubles by virtue of capturing both first and second place in this event. Horney and Lang defeated Adams and Hebda two out of three games to win the championship.

The standings of the halls in the race for the All-Sports trophy are:

Hall	Points
Noll	40
West Seifert	25
Ad. Building	13
Vets Club	12
Bennett	10
Merlini	7
Drexel	7
Washburn	3
East Seifert	2
Gaspar	0
Dorm	0
White House	0

These standings are exclusive of the entries for the touch football league. It should be realized that a seemingly large lead this early in the year is not insurmountable because of the many activities which will afford opportunity in gaining points throughout the entire year.

Intramural football got under way last week with the largest number of entrants in the school's history. Seventeen teams are going to participate in the fall sport this year. All on campus residences are reperesented with the exception of the sophomores of Merlini Hall.

Starting the season off is the pre-season tourney sponsored by the Student Council. This tourney has no effect on the points for the All-Sports trophy. The winners will receive awards from the Council.

The Noll Lions showed exceptional power in blasting the East Seifert Blue Blazers 26-0. Gene Eifrid, Ed Dewald and Dick Complo led the Lions offense. Hard charging guard Frank O'Reilly was a stalwart in the winners defensive line.

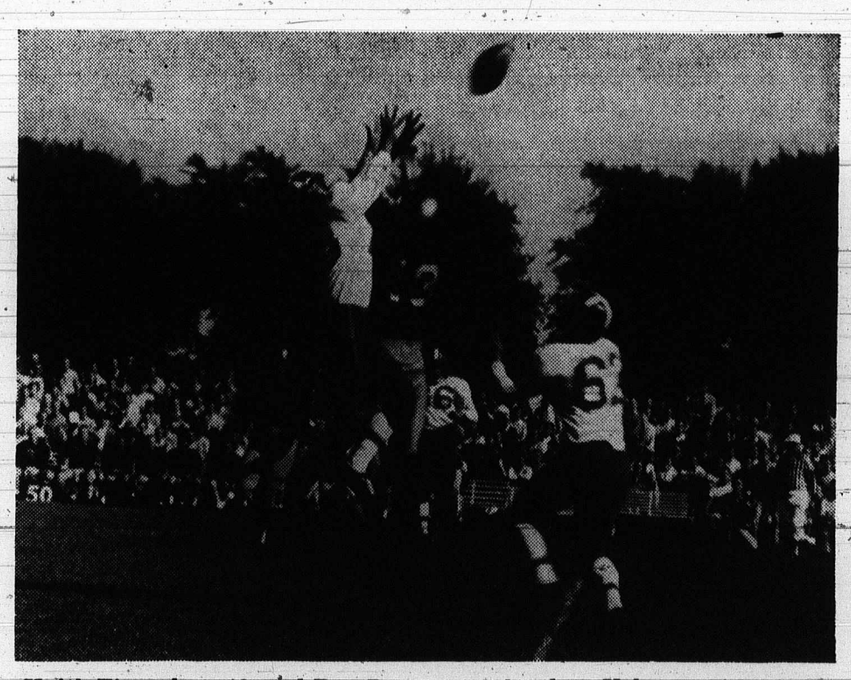
The razor-sharp passing of Pat "Fox" Linskey to "Tubes" Tenielli accounted for two TD's as the Goats of West Seifert downed the Basement Bums 12 to 0.

In an all freshman affair, the Chi-Guys of East Seifert swamped the 2-Balls from Drexel 25-0. The winners took to the air for all of the scores with Ron Follena doing the pitching and Don Reggerie taking three of them across for the TD's. The Bullodgs of West Seifert were the other winners in the first round. They defeated the Gaspar Hall Trojans.

As soon as the tournament is completed there will be one day devoted to the football throwing contest. Points will be awarded for the All-Sports trophy in the same manner as the horseshoe tournament.

After this event will begin the regular season play in toch football. There will be two leagues this year. One league will be composed of as many teams as possible from the freshman halls. This is being done to even the competition and give the frosh a chance to play together before meeting with the more organized upper-class squads. The ultimate school champion will be decided by a play-off between the winners of the two leagues.

Our intramural league is a touch game. The game is played without pads. The officials have been told to enforce all rules which pertain to all such things as hitting, kicking, biting and generally trying to ruin an opponent. This is not being done to take the fun out of the game but in order to keep the infirmary less crowded. Any and all offenders will be asked to retire to the sidelines for such offenses.



Keith Fingerhut, 48, and Ray Banary, 62, battle a Valpo receiver in an attempt to intercept a Crusader pass. The play went as another incompleted pass for the visiting team who seemed unable to get started all afternoon. (Photo by Franz)

An unidentified Puma, Fred Sierakowski, and Bill Gleason (left to right) were seen giving dancing lessons at the recent Mundelein mixer. (Photo by Franz)

McPolin Named Monogram Club Dance Chairman

Jim McPolin has been appointed chairman of the Monogram Club Dance which is scheduled for Saturday, Nov. 5.

The "Fall Frolics", the name given to the dance, will be held in Raleigh Hall and tickets will sell for about $3 per couple. The number of tickets sold will be limited because of the restricted size of the hall.

Marv Hackman is decorations chairman for the dance and John F. White will acquire the band. Other committee chairmen are: Joe Kneip, housing; Bob Companik, publicity; and Dan Lyman, tickets.

Senior Pete Higgins is president of the club.

Sanguinists Lose Two Officers

The Sanguinist Club held a meeting Tuesday, Sept. 27, to discuss plans for raising money for the St. Joseph statue fund. This statue is to be situated in the area between the two new halls.

At present, the club is without a president and a treasurer. This year's president, Jack Schrems, was forced to leave school on account of illness, and this year's treasurer, John Hancock, is now studying for the priesthood.

The remaining officers are Ray Malik, vice-president and Jim Kubacki, secretary.

History Club Plans Bingo To Erase Debt

A bingo has been planned by the members of the History Club for next month, although no definite date has been set. The proceeds of the bingo will go towards erasing a club debt to the Student Council.

Other future activities, such as field trips and the appearances of guest speakers at meetings, were also discussed at the club's first meeting of the year, Sept. 29.

Ken Fedder is president of the club and Rev. Donald Shea is moderator.

Glee Club Organizes New Group Of Seventeen Outstanding Singers

by Manuel Pasquil

With a bright future ahead, the St. Joseph's College Glee Club launched into its second rehearsal Thursday, Sept. 29.

Under the direction of Rev. L. Heiman, the chorus has been practicing the songs to be used in their first public appearance at the Homecoming pep rally, Oct. 14. Their selections will include the "Alma Mater Song" and a Fred Waring arrangement especially adapted for the occasion.

Club Adopts New Laws

Since the enrollment into the college chorus surpassed the quota of past years, a new constitution was necessary to meet the situation. Applicants who pass the admission test are admitted as auxiliary members. They can subsequently become regular members after they have proved their worth, upon the recommendation of the director and the vote of the current regular members.

These members may participate in the general activities of the club, excluding overnight travel, and may act as substitutes for regular members, depending on the discretion of the moderator. They have no voice, active or passive, in the business of the club.

Organizes Musical Group

A notable innovation introduced by the new constitution is the "Singing Seventeen." This musical group consists of a select number for various occasions and were chosen by the moderator for their outstanding musical ability.

They include: **1st tenors:** J. Matlon, W. Leonard, T. Hill, F. Wittry; **2nd tenors:** M. Freiburg, W. Gleason, W. Walters, M. Mucha; **1st bass:** J. Gulassa, V. Pate, C. Rohan, W. Schuler, T. O'Hagan; **2nd bass:** J. Tobin, U. Thobe, G. Petrin, R. Kilbourne; **Piano accompanist:** Manuel Pasquil.

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